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SUBJECT: IDB BOARD OF GOVERNORS ANNUAL MEETING

REFS: A. BRASILIA 3028, B. STATE 72724

1. ARY PINTO, FINANCE MINISTER'S INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ADVISOR, HAS CONFIRMED THAT SIMONSEN WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH SECRETARY SIMON DURING COURSE OF ANNUAL MEETINGS. PLEASE INFORM TIME AND PLACE WHEN SCHEDULE FIRMED.

2. IN ADDITION TO TOPICS REPORTED REFTEL (A), FINANCE MINISTER SIMONSEN, BASED ON CONVERSATION WITH PINTO, IS LIKELY TO BRING UP WITH SECRETARY SIMON SUBJECT OF EARMARKING FOR SPECIFIC USES U.S. CONTRIBUTIONS TO IDB, AS WAS RECENTLY DONE BY CONGRESS. PINTO SAID, NOT SURPRISINGLY, THAT THE GOB HAS CONSIDERABLE DIFFICULTY WITH THIS DEVELOPMENT.

3. WITH RESPECT TO THE TWO IDB COST OVERRUN PROJECTS, WICH WERE THE SUBJECT OF SECRETARY SIMON'S CABLE TO SIMONSEN (REFTEL B), PINTO SAID THAT NO REPEAT
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NO ACTION HAD BEEN TAKEN AND THOUGHT THAT PROBABLY

NONE WULD BE TAKEN BEFORE THE IDB MEETINGS AFTER
SIMSONEN HAS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THE
LOANS WITH SECRETARY SIMON DIRECTLY. PINTO SAID
GOB WAS FULLY AWARE OF USG POSITION ON THIS MATTER,
AS OUTLINED IN ED PORGES STATEMENT BEFORE THE BOARD.

4. SIMONSEN IS GOING TO PARIS THIS WEEKEND AND WILL BE
RETURNING TO BRAZIL NEXT WEDNESDAY (APRIL 30).
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